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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Continuation Application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.60 of copending application Serial No. 251,656 filed April 6, 1981

Applicant: Jerome H. Lemelson ) Art Unit: 322  
Serial No.: ) Examiner: Z. R. Bilinsky  
Filed: May 13, 1987 )  
For: MACHINE TOOL SYSTEM )

The Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Before any action is taken on the continuation application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION

Page 1, after "Related Applications", delete lines remaining and insert -- This is a continuation of application Serial No. 251,656 filed April 6, 1981, <sup>now abandoned</sup> which in turn is a continuation of application Serial No. 91,908 filed November 6, 1979, now abandoned, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 107,357 filed January 18, 1971, now abandoned, which is:

a) a continuation-in-part of copending application Serial No. 858,560 filed August 29, 1969, now U.S. Patent No. 3,854,889, which in turn is a continuation-in-part of copending application Serial No. 629,758 filed April 10, 1967, now abandoned which in turn is a continuation of my copending application Serial No. 465,812 filed April 8, 1965, now U.S. Patent No. 3,313,014, which in turn is a continuation-in-part of copending application Serial No. 152,702 filed October 17, 1961, now abandoned, which in turn is a divisional

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